GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

CIVIL SUPPLIES – The National Food Security Act, 2013 – Issue of new Ration Cards in the shape of Smart Cards to the priority households under National Food Security Act, 2013 – Constitution of Committee for finalization of design and specifications of Smart Card – Orders-issued.

CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & CIVIL SUPPLIES (CS-I.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 18 Dated: 01-09-2015.
Read the following:

Read: 1. The National Food Security Act, 2013.
2. CMP No.1255/GSP/2015, dated 07-02-2015 of Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Govt. of AP., Hyderabad.

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O R D E R:

The Government of India enacted the National Food Security Act, 2013 and as per the provisions of Sections 9, 10 and 13 of the National Food Security Act, 2013, eligible households have to be identified and new ration cards shall be issued in the name of woman as head of the family. The Government has taken decision to implement the said Act in the State and also decided to issue new ration cards in the shape of Smart Cards capable of storing information of individual details along with Aadhaar, Ration Card and Pension Identity numbers.

2. Expression of Interest (EoI) has been called for from the interested agencies for printing and supply of Smart Cards. 13 agencies filed their Expression of Interest (EoI) along with the specifications, design, etc., and for finalization of designs, specifications, etc., of Smart Card, it is decided to constitute a Committee.

3. Therefore, a Committee is hereby constituted with the following members for finalization of design and specifications of Ration Card in the shape of Smart Card:

Sri J. Satyanarayana, Advisor to Govt., IT	--	Chairman
Commr. of Civil Supplies & Ex-Officio Secretary to Govt., CA, F&CS Department.	--	Member
Secretary to Govt., ITE&C Department	--	Member
Managing Director, APTS Limited, Hyd	--	Member
State Informatics Officer, NIC., AP., Hyd	--	Member
Director of Civil Supplies & EO Jt. Secy. to Govt., CA, F&CS Deptt.	--	Member-Convener
Dist. Collector, Krishna District	--	Member

4. The above Committee shall examine the designs, specifications, etc., of Smart Card submitted by the 13 agencies, finalize the design and specifications of Smart Card and recommend to the Government within 15 days for taking further action.

5. The Director of Civil Supplies & Ex-Officio Joint Secretary to Government, CA, F&CS Department and Member-Convener shall take further immediate necessary action.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

I.Y.R.KRISHNA RAO,
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
All Members of the Committee.
The Commissioner of Civil Supplies, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
The Director of Civil Supplies, O/O the Commissioner of Civil Supplies , A.P. Hyderabad.
Copy to :
PS to Hon'ble Minister for Food & Civil Supplies,
P.S.to Chief Secretary to Government, AP, Hyderabad.
P.S.to Joint Secretary to Chief Minister.
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